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**Cc:** McDaniel, Doug[McDaniel.Doug@epa.gov]  
**From:** Salazar, Matt  
**Sent:** Wed 5/21/2014 8:30:03 PM  
**Subject:** RE: Fuels LLC

Hi Steve,

Thank you for your message. It appears this may lie in RCRA enforcement's purview. I forwarded your letter and emails on this to my colleague Doug McDaniel who can determine the appropriate response.

Thank you,

Matt

**From:** Don't Waste Arizona [mailto:dwaz@fastq.com]  
**Sent:** Friday, May 09, 2014 12:04 AM  
**To:** Salazar, Matt  
**Subject:** Fuels LLC

I mailed you a letter with attachments today requesting an investigation into the Fuels LLC facility in Phoenix. It appears the facility is trying to skirt regulatory scrutiny by conducting used oil transfers at a location where it seems to have no permit to conduct that sort of activity. And surely, there is no legal way to rendezvous somewhere in a parking lot to make a used oil transfer.

The explosion and fire at the facility on April 22, 2014 brought the activities there to light. The Phoenix Fire Department investigated a complaint about chemical odors and found a used oil truck at the facility. The county air agency investigated and made no note of used oil being off-loaded onto the site, just anti-freeze and other things.

Given that the facility had operated for years without odor complaints, it seems something has changed in the chemicals being brought to this location, and they are more volatile.

Someone with the authority to review the used oil testing and transportation records

should be able to discern what is happening.

Thanks,

Steve Brittle

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